# DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES Water Supply & Pollution Control Division - Biology Bureau

#### LAKE TROPHIC DATA

#### MORPHOMETRIC:

Lake: SHINGLE POND	Lake Area (ha):	1.25
Town: CHATHAM	Maximum depth (m):	2.1
County: Carroll	Mean depth (m):	1.0
River Basin: Saco	Volume (m³):	12000
Latitude: 44°05'52" N	Relative depth:	1.7
Longitude: 71°04'31" W	Shore configuration:	1.00
Elevation (ft): 1710	Areal water load (m/yr):	5.52
Shore length (m): 350	Flushing rate (yr <sup>-1</sup> ):	5.70
Watershed area (ha): 10.6	P retention coeff.:	0.64
<pre>% watershed ponded: 0.0</pre>	Lake type:	

BIOLOGICAL:	6 March 1996	10 July 1995
DOM. PHYTOPLANKTON (% TOTAL) #1	DINOBRYON 60%	CHRYSOSPHAERELLA 60%
#2	(ALL ALGAE SPARSE)	GLENODINIUM 35%
#3		
PHYTOPLANKTON ABUNDANCE (units/mL)		
CHLOROPHYLL-A (µg/L)		18.99
DOM. ZOOPLANKTON (% TOTAL) #1	NO ZOOPLANKTON	KERATELLA 24%
#2	OBSERVED	TRICHOCERCA 16%
#3		NAUPLIUS LARVA 16%
ROTIFERS/LITER	<1	132
MICROCRUSTACEA/LITER	<1	104
ZOOPLANKTON ABUNDANCE (#/L)	<1	236
VASCULAR PLANT ABUNDANCE		Common/Abun
SECCHI DISK TRANSPARENCY (m)		2.1 Visible on bottom
BOTTOM DISSOLVED OXYGEN (mg/L)	6.5	4.2
BACTERIA (E. coli, #/100 ml) #1		
#2		
#3		
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## SUMMER THERMAL STRATIFICATION:

#### not stratified

Depth of thermocline (m): None Hypolimnion volume (m³): None Anoxic volume (m³): None

CHEMICAL:			SHINGLE I	POND		
	6 March	n 1996	10 .	July	1995	
DEPTH (m)	1.5		1.0			
pH (units)	5.4		5.6			
A.N.C. (Alkalinity)	1.1		1.4			
NITRATE NITROGEN	< 0.05		< 0.10			
TOTAL KJELDAHL NITROGEN	0.21		0.71	·		
TOTAL PHOSPHORUS	0.017		0.026			
CONDUCTIVITY (µmhos/cm)	21.6		14.9			
APPARENT COLOR (cpu)	30		55			
MAGNESIUM			0.15			
CALCIUM			1.0			
SODIUM			< 1.0			
POTASSIUM			< 0.40			
CHLORIDE	< 2		< 2			
SULFATE			2			
TN : TP	12		27			
CALCITE SATURATION INDEX			5.6			,

All results in mg/L unless indicated otherwise

## TROPHIC CLASSIFICATION: 1995

D.O.	S.D.	PLANT	CHL	TOTAL	CLASS
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### COMMENTS:

- 1. This is a small shallow remote pond located within the White Mountain National Forest. It was surveyed jointly with the Fish and Game Department. Access is via a 3 mile trial.
- 2. This is a tea-colored, acidic, eutrophic pond surrounded by bog plants and drowned trees. It is a productive pond with abundant phytoplankton, zooplankton and macrophyte growth.. Aquatic insects and birds are also plentiful.

#### FIELD DATA SHEET

LAKE: SHINGLE POND

DATE: 07/10/95

TOWN: CHATHAM WEATHER: PARTLY CLOUDY

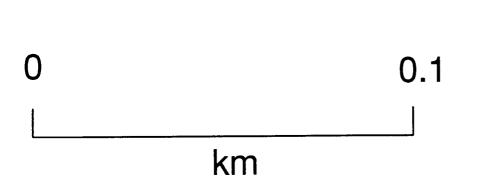
DEPTH	TEMP	*DISSOLVED	OXYGEN
(M)	(°C)	OXYGEN	SATURATION
0.1	23.7	5.9	68 %
1.0	22.4	6.2	71 %
1.5	22.3	5.9	66 %
2.0	22.5	4.2	48 %
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SECCHI DISK (m): 2.1 VOB COMMENTS:

BOTTOM DEPTH (m): 2.1

TIME: 1130

\*Dissolved oxygen values are in mg/L



## AQUATIC PLANT SURVEY

AQUATIC PLANT SURVEY						
LAK	E: SHINGLE POND	TOWN: CHATHAM	DATE: 07/10/95			
(ey	PLANT	NAME	ABUNDANCE			
	GENERIC	COMMON				
Y	Nuphar	Yellow water lily	Common/Abun			
S	Sparganium	Bur reed	Scattered			
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## OVERALL ABUNDANCE: Common/Abun

## **GENERAL OBSERVATIONS:**

- 1. Pond was surrounded by sphagnum moss and woody shrubs such as leatherleaf and sweet gale. Water arum and swamp loosestrife were intermixed along with dead trees.
- 2. Signs of moose activity were evident in and around the pond.